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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 2, 2002, and the Advisory Action mailed December 24, 2002, please enter the following amendments and remarks. Reconsideration of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

<u>AMENDMENTS</u>

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 33.

Please amend claim 11 as follows:

11. (thrice amended)

A method for genetically manipulating CD40⁺ immune cells, comprising the step of: